

said variable power source comprises a photosensitive control to vary said power source in response to the intensity of light incident on said eye shade apparatus:

a plurality of said photosensitive regions;

<u>said plurality of said photosensitive regions provide said nonuniform light</u> transmission; and

a processor to determine said nonuniform light transmission from responses of said photosensitive regions.

- 8. (Amended) An eye shade apparatus according to claim [1] 19 wherein each of said four electro-optic lens comprises a plurality of regions, said variable power source comprises a plurality of power outputs, each of said plurality of power outputs corresponds to at least one of said plurality or regions.
- 9. (Amended) An eye shade device according to claim [8] 1 wherein the power applied to each of said plurality of regions can be the same or different.
- 10. (Amended) An eye shade device according to claim [8] 1 wherein said variable power source comprises a manual control to vary the power at each of said plurality of power outputs.
- 11. (Amended) An eye shade device according to claim [8] 1 wherein said variable power source comprises a photosensitive control to vary said power source in response to the intensity of light incident on said eye shade apparatus.
- 12. (Amended) An eye shade apparatus according to claim [8] 1 comprising a manual mode of operation wherein said variable power source comprises a manual control to vary said power source and an automatic mode of operation wherein said variable power source comprises a photosensitive control to vary said power source in response to the intensity of light incident on said eye shade apparatus and a switch permitting selection of said manual mode of operation or said automatic mode of operation.
- 13. (Amended) An eye shade apparatus according to claim [8] 1 further comprising an electronic storage medium storing a plurality of power patterns for applying to said plurality of power outputs and a switch for selecting said plurality of power patterns.
- 18. (Amended) An eye shade apparatus <u>having a variable transmission comprising:</u>
  an electo-optic lens;